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ALEXANDER, DAVID JUNIOR

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Granite is the business of the Alexander family of St. Cloud, David Alexander Jr. was one of the officers of the North Star Granite Company for many years following in the footsteps of his father, who was in the same line of industry.

David Alexander was born in Scotland on January 9, 1874, the son of David P. and Agnes Alexander both of whom were born there. They came to the United States and located in Minnesota in 1887. David P. Alexander Sr. worked at the trade of granite cutter until his death in St. Cloud, in 1893. David Alexander Jr. received his education in Scotland and learned the granite cutters trade in St. Cloud, where he worked as a cutter for ten years. In March 1913 he organized the Pioneer Granite Company of St. Cloud, of which he was president.

David Alexander Jr. was married in March 1903 to Mary George, who was born in Albany, Minnesota, and is a daughter of Peter and Anna George a pioneer farmer of Stearns County. Seven children have been born to the union: Agnes, a school teacher; Caroline, a trained nurse; John W.; James W.; Gordon G.; Rosemary; and George.

David Alexander Jr. died January 19, 1933.

Interviewed: Mrs. Mary (George) Alexander  
Date: September 16, 1936  
By: Walter Jernberg

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FROM THE RECORDS IN THE STEARNS COUNTY COURT HOUSE

FOR THE DAVID JUNIOR ALEXANDER BIOGRAPHY

<u>Name</u>	<u>Date of Birth</u>	<u>Place of Birth</u>	<u>Father's Name</u>	<u>Age</u>
1. Mary George	Jan. 18, 1880	Krain Twp.	Peter George	
2. Caroline S. Alexander	Jan. 12, 1906	St. Cloud	David Alexander	32
3. Sarah K.               "	Dec. 15, 1908	St. Cloud	"               "	34
4. Marie                   "	Sept. 5, 1910	Rockville	"               "	36
5. George Gordon       "	Feb. 28, 1912	"	"               "	38
6. Baby Alexander       "	May 27, 1915	"	"               "	40

<u>Mother's Name</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Book</u>	<u>Page</u>	<u>Line</u>	<u>Remarks</u>
1. Caroline George		A	399	1	
2. Mary George	26	C	170	1	
3. Mary George	28	C	377	1	
4.       "       "	30	D	56	2	
5.       "       "	32	F	44	2	
6.       "       "	34	I	46	997	

MARRIAGE RECORD BOOK R. PAGE 9203

Clerk of Courts Office

David Alexander Junior and Mary George

Married February 10, 1904, in St, Cloud, Minnesota

By: Rev. Father Lenger

Witnesses: John F. Campbell and Anna George



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DEATH RECORD BOOK 1893 A-3 PAGE 139

David Alexander Sr. Died May 13, 1893

Age 43 years

(Father and mother unknown)

DEATH RECORD BOOK 1. PAGE 6 LINE 169

David Alexander, Born in Scotland, January 9, 1874

Son of David<sup>Alexander</sup> and Agnes Anderson

Died July 4, 1934

Age 60 years 5 months and 25 days

ALEXANDER, DAVID JUNIOR

Second interview to affirm or correct information in biography as compared to information as listed in the legal records in the Stearns County Court House.

CORRECTION:

Mary George, daughter of Peter and Caroline George is correct as stated in the legal records.

CORRECTION:

Marriage of David Alexander Jr. and Mary George February 10, 1904, is correct as stated in the legal records.

CORRECTION:

Death of David Alexander, July 4, 1934, is correct as stated in the legal records.

CORRECTION :

Children: Agnes, Caroline, Sara K., Rosemary, Gordon G. James W., and John W. and George.

AFFIRMED:

James W. and John W. are twins, born in 1915 as affirmed by 2nd interview.

Reinterviewed: John Alexander  
Date: January 18, 1938  
By: Walter B. Haupt